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Park Operational Base Summary: The table below shows the annual park operating base for all parks within this state. Park operational base funds are supplemented by as yet undetermined amounts of project funding from regional or servicewide-managed programs, such as cyclic maintenance, the Natural Resources Preservation Program, and the Drug Enforcement Program.

If a park is in more than one state, the park is included in each of the appropriate state tables. The full operating base is shown; no attempt has been made to split the park operating base amount between two or more states.

			FY 2002	FY 2002	
Congr	FY 2000	FY 2001	Uncontrol	Program	FY 2002
Distr Park Units	Enacted	Enacted	<u>Changes</u>	<u>Changes</u>	Estimate
02 Abraham Lincoln Bthplc NHS	509,000	520,000	16,000	0	536,000
05 Big South Fork Natl River & RA	3,042,000	3,107,000	82,000	0	3,189,000
05 Cumberland Gap NHP	1,749,000	1,794,000	52,000	0	1,846,000
02 Mammoth Cave NP	5,178,000	5,532,000	199,000	0	5,731,000

The table does not include programs from other appropriations such as General Management Plans, Land Acquisition, Line Item Construction and Maintenance, Federal Lands Highway Program, and Historic Preservation Fund State Grants. Information on the distribution of funds in those programs is outlined on the next page. There are separate sections on General Management Plans and the Trails Management Program.

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(dollars in thousands)

PROGRAMS NOT INCLUDED IN PARK BASE:

GENERAL MANAGEMENT PLANS (See GMP section for further information)
None

LAND ACQUISITION (see attached)

Park AreaRemarksFundsCumberland Gap NHP10 acres\$100

CONSTRUCTION: LINE ITEM CONSTRUCTION

None

PROPOSED FEDERAL LANDS HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Park AreaProject TitleFundsMammoth Cave NPImprove access to Environmental Institute\$1,000

HISTORIC PRESERVATION FUND: STATE GRANTS

State apportionment: \$811

STATE CONSERVATION GRANTS

Proposed state apportionment: \$6,667

Land Acquisition and State Assistance/Federal Land Acquisition

Fiscal Year 2002 National Park Service Federal Land Acquisition Program

Program or Park Area: Cumberland Gap National Historical Park

National Park Service Land Acquisition Priority (FY 2002): Priority No. 30

Location: On the Wilderness Road through Kentucky, Tennessee, and Virginia

<u>States/Counties/Congressional Districts</u>:

State of Kentucky/Bell and Harlan Counties/Congressional District No.5 State of Tennessee/Claiborne County/Congressional District No.4 Commonwealth of Virginia/Lee County/Congressional District No.9

<u>Land Acquisition Limitation Amount Remaining</u>: None. However, the over-ceiling authority of Public Law 95-42 would permit the requested appropriation.

Cost Detail:

Date	Acres	Total Amount
FY 2002 Request	10	\$100,000
Future Funding Need	0	0

The total amount includes the cost of title, appraisal, environmental site assessment, acquisition, and relocation assistance.

Improvements: None.

<u>Description</u>: Cumberland Gap National Historical Park was authorized by the Act of June 11, 1940, to consist of lands in certain historic areas within Bell and Harlan Counties, Kentucky; Claiborne County, Tennessee; and Lee County, Virginia. The act authorized acquisition only by donation and purchase with donated funds; the purchase of lands with appropriated funds was not permitted. The act of October 26, 1974 revised the boundary of the park to include an additional 60 acres and authorized appropriations not to exceed \$427,500 to acquire the lands so added.

<u>Natural/Cultural Resources Associated with Proposal</u>: The park protects and preserves the passageway through the Appalachian Mountains that ushered settlers to "the Old West."

<u>Threat</u>: The Act of November 12, 1996 (Public Law 104-333), authorized the acquisition, by donation, purchase with donated or appropriated funds, or exchange, of up to ten acres outside the park boundary. When acquired, such lands are to be included in the park boundary. The lands are necessary to establish trailheads at White Rock and Chadwell Gap.

<u>Need</u>: For fiscal year 2002, funds in the amount of \$100,000 are needed to acquire three tracts containing a total of ten acres. The tracts are needed to provide trailheads and public parking facilities as authorized by Public Law 104-333.

<u>Interaction with Landowners and Partners</u>: The acquisition for trail and parking purposes is supported by the local community. The landowners are amenable to selling the tracts and have been supportive of Federal acquisition. No appraisals have been obtained, nor have negotiations been initiated.